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Applicant: Jenkins et al.

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Title: Loop Structure Including Inflatable Therapeutic Device

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application:

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established.
- ☐ A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time and check in the amount of \$410 are enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Small Entity Rate	Add'l. Fee	Standard Rate	Add'l. Fee
TOTAL	25 minus	36 =	0	x \$ 9	\$	x \$ 18	\$0
INDEP.	6 minus	4 =	2	x \$ 42	\$	x \$ 84	\$168
<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				x \$140		x \$280	
				TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$168

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Respectfully submitted,

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